

No Longer At Ease

Short Answer Questions - Chapters 17-19

1. When Obi returns to work, what comments by Mr. Green continue to reflect his disrespect for Nigerians?
2. According to Mr. Green, what characteristic of Nigerians would prevent the country from being able to manage independence?
3. How does Obi respond to the assertions of Mr. Green and Miss Tomlinson about leave entitlements available to Africans?
4. How does Obi explain his physical appearance when Miss Tomlinson says he looks run down?
5. Where does Obi try to get money from to pay back Clara's loan?
6. What does Obi decide to do when he learns that he might have to pay back money from his travel allowance?
7. How does Clara embarrass Obi when he finally sees her in the hospital?
8. What does the process lead Obi to decide when he examines the "mainspring of his actions" for the first time in his life?
9. What are the contents of the letter from Obi that Clara later returns?
10. What happens to Clara after her hospitalization?
11. What causes Obi's failure to repay Clara's money?
12. What brings Obi additional criticism when his mother dies?
13. What do the villagers accuse Obi of after his mother is buried?
14. What are Obi's early responses to the death of his mother?
15. How does Joseph show support for Obi after his mother dies?

16. How does Obi eventually feel about his mother's death?

17. What is the first report of Obi's involvement in bribery?

18. How does Obi finally get caught for his involvement in bribery?